Remanufactured Vehicles

5.000 Definitions (VC §§507.5, 507.8, and 4153)

"Remanufactured Vehicle"—A vehicle that has been constructed by a licensed remanufacturer and consists of any used or reconditioned integral parts, including but not limited to, frame, engine, transmission, axles, brakes, or suspension. An existing vehicle incidentally repaired, restored, or modified by replacing or adding parts or accessories is not a remanufactured vehicle. Remanufactured vehicles may be sold under a distinctive trade name.

"Remanufacturer"—Any person who, for commission, money, or other thing of value, produces a vehicle that consists of any used or reconditioned integral parts, including, but not limited to, frame, engine, transmission, axles, brakes, or suspension. A person who incidentally repairs, restores, or modifies existing vehicles by replacing or adding parts or accessories is not a remanufacturer. A licensed remanufacturer must:

- Identify the vehicle based on the existing Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) by writing the VIN on the Application for Registration Remanufactured Vehicle (REG 7) when a used frame is incorporated into the vehicle.
- Die-stamp the VIN to the frame when a new VIN is assigned.
- Disclose that the vehicle is remanufactured and contains used and/or reconditioned parts.
- Remove the original manufacturer's trade name unless the original manufacturer and the remanufacturer are the same.
- Disclose on the VIN plate or label that the vehicle is remanufactured and includes used parts.

5.005 Certificate of Remanufactured Vehicle (REG 8)

An **original** Certificate of Remanufactured Vehicle (REG 8) **must** accompany a remanufactured vehicle registration application. A photocopy **is not** acceptable.

5.010 Application for Registration Remanufactured Vehicle (REG 7)

Remanufactured vehicle dealers **must** complete an Application for Registration Remanufactured Vehicle (REG 7) upon first sale of the remanufactured vehicle.

Distribution of the REG 7 copies is identical to that of the Application for Registration of New Vehicle (REG 397). Refer to Section 2.020 for the instructions.

5.015 Completing the Application for Registration Remanufactured Vehicle (REG 7)

Use the following information to complete an Application for Registration Remanufactured Vehicle (REG 7).

Section	Information Required			
Vehicle I.D. Number	Enter the complete vehicle identification number (VIN).			
Motorcycle Engine No. or Add'l ID No.	Enter the complete engine number and number of cc's for motorcycles only.			
Make	Show the make of the vehicle, not the model.			
Body Type	Enter the body type abbreviation used by the department. Refer to Section 2.200 for abbreviations.			
Equipment No.	Show equipment number only for fleet vehicles.			
Date First Sold as a Remanufactured Ve- hicle	Show the date the purchaser paid the purchase price, signed a purchase contract or security agreement, and took physical possession or delivery of the vehicle. (VC §5901d)			
For Trailer Coaches Only	Show the length and width in inches for a trailer coach or a camp trailer.			
Yr. Model	Show the manufacturer's designated year model.			
Motive Power	Show the motive power for all vehicles. The fuel types are:			
	Gasoline	Diesel	Electric	Methanol
	Natural Gas	Trailer	Propane	Hybrid
Number of Axles	Show the number of axles only for commercial motor vehicles and trailers.			
Unladen Weight	Show the unladen (empty) weight for all commercial motor vehicles and trailers.			
County of Residence	Show the buyer's county of residence.			
Date First Operated	Enter the date first operated by a retail purchaser.			

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Sold To	Buyer(s) Name(s)—Print the true full name of each buyer as shown on the buyer's driver license or ID card and check the "AND" or "OR" box if there is more than one buyer/owner. Documents are issued with "AND" if a box is not checked. Refer to Section 1.020 for Registration to Co-Owners information.			
	Leased Vehicles —Print the name of the lessor followed by the abbreviation "LSR" and the name(s) of the lessee followed by the abbreviation "LSE." Do not join the names with "and" or "or." Refer to Section 1.025 for Registration of Leased Vehicles information.			
	Business or Residence Address —Show the buyer's mailing address.			
	Legal Owner or Lienholder —Show the name and mailing address of the legal owner/lienholder or the word "None" and initial the entry. (A legible impression by a 12-point type rubber stamp is acceptable.)			
	NOTE: Dealer applications without an entry in the legal owner section are returned to the dealer.			
Passenger Vehicle for Hire?	Check the appropriate box.			
Certification The dealer is certifying to the correctness of all information furnished and to the vehicle's compliance with the provisions of the Vehicle Code.	Signature of Applicant —The buyer's usual signature or a signature by power of attorney. Refer to Section 1.010 for signature requirements.			
	Dealer —Enter the dealer's name, address, and dealer number.			
	By —An authorized representative for the dealer must sign.			
	Salesperson's Name and No.—Enter the salesperson's name and number.			
Lower portion of the	Enter all of the following:			
REG 7 application (Temporary Identifi-	The vehicle descriptive information.			
cation or Cus-	• The name of the registered owner(s).			
tomer's Copy)	 The dealer and salesperson numbers. The odometer mileage reading.			
Certificate of Cost	Show the full purchase price of the vehicle. Do not include sales tax, license fees, or financing costs. Do not deduct the value of any trade-in.			

5.020 Remanufactured Vehicle Registration Requirements

The registration requirements for a remanufactured vehicle are:

- A completed Application for Registration Remanufactured Vehicle (REG 7).
- A Certificate of Remanufactured Vehicle (REG 8).
- A vehicle verification (completed on the back of the REG 343).
- A weight certificate for a commercial vehicles. Refer to Section 9.025 for exceptions to the weight certification requirement.
- A smog certification, if appropriate.
- Fees.